

FISCAL NOTE
Requested by Legislative Council
01/15/2013

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 1277

- 1 A. **State fiscal effect:** *Identify the state fiscal effect and the fiscal effect on agency appropriations compared to funding levels and appropriations anticipated under current law.*

	2011-2013 Biennium		2013-2015 Biennium		2015-2017 Biennium	
	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds
Revenues			\$(348,900,000)			
Expenditures						
Appropriations						

- 1 B. **County, city, school district and township fiscal effect:** *Identify the fiscal effect on the appropriate political subdivision.*

	2011-2013 Biennium	2013-2015 Biennium	2015-2017 Biennium
Counties			
Cities			
School Districts			
Townships			

- 2 A. **Bill and fiscal impact summary:** *Provide a brief summary of the measure, including description of the provisions having fiscal impact (limited to 300 characters).*

HB 1277 reduces corporation and individual income tax rates, and increases the exclusion for qualified dividends and long term capital gains.

- B. **Fiscal impact sections:** *Identify and provide a brief description of the sections of the measure which have fiscal impact. Include any assumptions and comments relevant to the analysis.*

Section 1 of HB 1277 broadens the income brackets and reduces all corporate income tax rates. Section 2 reduces the number of individual income tax brackets from five to three, and lowers all individual income tax rates. Section 3 expands the exclusion for qualified dividends and long term capital gains.

3. **State fiscal effect detail:** *For information shown under state fiscal effect in 1A, please:*

- A. **Revenues:** *Explain the revenue amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each revenue type and fund affected and any amounts included in the executive budget.*

If enacted, HB 1277 is expected to reduce state general fund revenues by an estimated \$348.9 million in the 2013-15 biennium. Corporation rate relief is expected to total -\$81.1 million and individual income tax relief is expected to total -\$206.2 million in the 2013-15 biennium. The expansion of the deduction for qualified dividends and long term capital gains is expected to total -\$61.6 million in the 2013-15 biennium.

- B. **Expenditures:** *Explain the expenditure amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each agency, line item, and fund affected and the number of FTE positions affected.*

- C. **Appropriations:** *Explain the appropriation amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each agency and fund affected. Explain the relationship between the amounts shown for expenditures and appropriations. Indicate whether the appropriation is also included in the executive budget or relates to a continuing appropriation.*

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